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**Honolulu Liquor Commission Allows License Renewal  
for The Cellar Night Club Subject to a List of Conditions  
- licensee required to re-appear before the Commission on July 27<sup>th</sup> -**

**HONOLULU (July 3, 2006)** – The Honolulu Liquor Commission (HLC) took the following action at its 51<sup>st</sup> meeting of the fiscal year on June 29, 2006:

- **Club White Star** (nka **Club Monalia**) (guilty) and **Amy's Place** (no contest) each were fined \$250 for violation of Rule 3-82-38.4(b) (time card).
- **Camelot Restaurant & Lounge** (no contest) was fined \$500 for a repeat violation of Rule 3-82-38.4(b) (time card).
- **Red Carnation** (no contest) was fined \$500 for a repeat violation of Rule 3-82-38.4(b) (time card) and fined \$250 for violation of Rule (3-82-38.5(a) (non-registered employee).
- **Club Pisces** (no contest) was fined \$250 for violation of Rule 3-82-38.5(e) (failing to ensure employee had registration certificate available for inspection) and fined \$500 for violation of Rule 3-84-78.01(b) (employee consumption of liquor while on duty).
- **Misty I** (no contest) was fined \$350 for an amended charge regarding the violation of Rule 3-82-38.5(i) (non-registered hostess).
- **Club Bunny Girls** (no contest) was fined \$350 for violation of Rule 3-82-38.6(a) (non-registered dancer) [and](#) fined a total of \$2,000 for two violations of Rule 3-84-78.042 (fondling).
- **Honolulu Tavern** (found guilty) received a letter of reprimand for violation of Rule 3-82-47.1(a) (permitting unauthorized entertainment in the licensed premises without prior Commission approval).

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- **Club Monalia** (nka **Club Green Tee**) (no contest) was fined \$300 for violation of Rule 3-84-78.01(b) (employee consumption of liquor while on duty), fined \$250 for violation of Rule 3-82-38.4(b) (time card) and fined \$500 for violation of 3-84-79.1 (allowing the obstruction, hampering or interfering with investigations or Commission operations).
- **Club Secret** (no contest) was fined \$300 for violation of Rule 3-84-78.01(b) (employee consumption of liquor while on duty).
- **Club Sundance** (found guilty) was fined \$500 for violation of Rule 78-4.2 (fondling).
- **Café Imperial** (no contest), **Cha Cha Cha Caribe/Mex Restaurant** (guilty) and **Eastern Paradise** (no contest) each were fined \$1,000 for violation of Section 281-78(b)(1)(A), HRS (selling liquor to a minor).
- **Jose's Restaurant** (no contest) was fined \$250 for violation of Section 281-78(b)(1)(A), HRS (selling liquor to a minor).

During the public hearings portion of the meeting, the Commission:

- Approved the application from **RT Hawaii Restaurants Inc.** (dba **Ruby Tuesday**) for a Restaurant General license (Cat. No. 2 – Live entertainment or Recorded Music and Dancing) at 45-056 Kamehameha Hwy. (**Windward Mall**). The Commission also approved the fingerprinting of one of the company officers to be completed within a week of his return to Honolulu.

During the Preliminary Hearing, License Application and Request portion of the meeting, the Commission:

- Approved the application from **Seoul Kitchen Buffet, Inc.** for a Dispenser General license (Cat. No. 1 – Standard Bar) at 1221 Alapai St. The Commission also approved a Temporary Dispenser General license.
- Took no action regarding the application from **Anekona Islander, LLC** (dba **Ilikai Hotel**) for a Temporary Hotel General license at 1777 Ala Moana Blvd.
- Approved the request from F.L. Inc. (dba **Don Ho's Island Grill**) for approval to temporarily extend its licensed premises on July 1, 2006 at One Aloha Tower Dr. (**Aloha Tower Marketplace**).
- Approved the request from **Oh Sammy Food, Inc.** (dba **Kikuya Japanese Restaurant**) to permanently extend its licensed premises at 1315 North King St.

During the Other Business portion of the meeting, the Commission:

- Heard from the prosecutor, licensee and general public regarding the Notice of Hearing for Non-Renewal of **The Rock Corporation (dba The Cellar Night Club)** at 205 Lewers St. The Commission allowed the renewal of the license subject to the following corrective measures: 1) The night club's admission age will now be 21-and-over instead of 18-and-over effective July 5, 2006; 2) the owners will limit the number of

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patrons – exact number to be determined; 3) continue street security and crowd-dispersal measures; 4) produce the “daily activity logs” kept by the licensee to monitor complaints; 5) licensee will set up cameras to monitor the street to record what happens as patrons leave/enter/pass the bar; 6) licensee will meet with the community, especially the Halekulani; 7) the licensee is required to return before the Commission on July 27, 2006 to report on how the corrective measures have been implemented; 8) if the corrective measures are not satisfactory, the Commission will look to revoke the license; 9) the Commission also will impose some additional training regarding overservicing.

The Honolulu Liquor Commission aims to promote our community’s health, safety and welfare by effectively and fairly administering and enforcing Hawaii’s liquor laws. For more information about the Commission, please visit [www.honolulu.gov/liq](http://www.honolulu.gov/liq).

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